

COMPETENCIA: Escribe diversos tipos de texto en inglés.

CALIFICACIÓN

A. Fill in the blanks with the letter (A, B, or C) that corresponds to the correct answer.

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| 1 | A. visited | B. packed | C. moved |
| 2 | A. hungry | B. interesting | C. new |
| 3 | A. sociable | B. introverted | C. happy |
| 4 | A. that's why | B. then | C. because |
| 5 | A. found | B. made | C. pushed |
| 6 | A. didn't rest | B. wasn't rest | C. didn't rested |
| 7 | A. that's why | B. as | C. then |
| 8 | A. a | B. an | C. the |
| 9 | A. found | B. broke | C. came |
| 10 | A. Did you sleep | B. Did you slept | C. Were you sleep |

Last year, we (1) ____ to a (2) ____ city, which also meant I had to go to a different school. To be honest, I'm not a really (3) ____ person, (4) ____ the idea of just not knowing anyone (5) ____ me go crazy for days on end. I (6) ____ well at all for about a week before going to school, (7) ____ not knowing anyone was (8) ____ only thing I could think about. When the day finally (9) ____ , I was so stressed out. "(10) ____ well?" asked Mom...

2.

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| 1 | A. better | B. best | C. well |
| 2 | A. At first | B. Finally | C. Then |
| 3 | A. weirdest | B. fastest | C. awkward |
| 4 | A. finally | B. until | C. then |
| 5 | A. luckiest | B. most delicious | C. nicest |
| 6 | A. Then | B. After | C. Later on |
| 7 | A. smartest | B. the friendliest | C. the most spotless |
| 8 | A. At first | B. Later on | C. In the end |

Last year, I started going to a new school. My parents said it was one of the (1) ____ schools in the city and that's why they decided to take me there. (2) ____ , I didn't talk a lot because I didn't know anyone. I was a little afraid to talk to other students. Everyone seemed to know each other so well. They must have said I was the (3) ____ person they have ever met. It wasn't (4) ____ . Mark came to talk to me that I started talking to people. He is definitely one of the (5) ____ people I know. (6) ____ talking to him for a while, he introduced me to (7) ____ group of students. Well, at least that's what I think about then. (8) ____ , it all went well. I love my new school, well, not that new anymore, I love my friends and it's all thanks to Mark.

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B. You will hear three conversations. There are three questions for each conversation. Choose the right answer.

1. In which city did the girl get lost? Track #9
 - Mexico City
 - Carson City
 - New York City

2. What happened to the girl? Track #9
 - She got lost downtown.
 - She got lost in the metro tunnels.
 - She got lost in the museum.

3. Why did she get lost? Track #9
 - She took the wrong train.
 - She got off at the wrong station.
 - She did not ask for information.

4. Which type of transportation does Wendy like to use? Track #10
 - She prefers trains.
 - She prefers to drive.
 - She prefers the bus.

5. Why does she like to travel by train? Track #10
 - It's cheaper.
 - It's faster.
 - It's more relaxing.

6. What does Wendy tell Darren about traveling by train? Track #10
 - That he will not regret trying it.
 - That he will regret trying it.
 - That he should avoid it.

7. What did the girl visit in New York City? Track #11
 - the Brooklyn Bridge
 - the Eiffel Tower
 - the Statue of Liberty

8. Who designed the Statue of Liberty? Track #11
 - Gustave Tower
 - Gustave Eiffel

- Gustav Klimt

9. When was the statue offered as a gift? Track #11
in 1876 in 1886 in 1896

Listen to Claire Evan's radio show and a caller talking about an unusual travel experience. Select True, False, or DS for Doesn't Say. Track #2

10. The radio station's name is Electric Café radio.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
11. The radio show host's name is Claire Evans.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
12. Pete Robinson is caller nine.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
13. He's calling from his office.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
14. Claire Evans tells people to call in to ask Pete about his trip.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
15. The radio show is sponsored by Exotic Travels Agency.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
16. Listen to the conversation again. Fill in the blanks with the correct word.
 - a) I'm here in the _____ again for another weekly issue of Welcome Abroad.
 - b) It's the second oldest _____ park in the world. It opened in 1843.
 - c) What other _____ does the park have?
 - d) I got to see the play Hamlet _____ in one of the castle's towers.
 - e) Listeners out there, if anyone out there wants to share their vacation _____, feel free to call the show at 555-342-1324.
- C. Record an audio where you have to answer to the following question: Why are friends important? Your recording should be between 1 and 2 min.

Pass the link of your recording here. Use www.vocaroo.com as a recording tool. (optional)

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D. Select the sentence that has a similar meaning to the sign.
1.

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**You should deposit
money for the trip by
Friday at the latest**

- People can't use shoes inside the museum.
- You have until Friday to pay for the trip.
- You can get a bus to downtown here every 20 minutes.

2.

**Buses to downtown
leave this bus stop
every 20 minutes.**

- You can get a bus to downtown here every 20 minutes.
- You have until Friday to pay for the trip.
- People can't use shoes inside the museum.

3.

**ASK FOR A PAIR OF SLIPPERS
AT MUSEUM ENTRANCE**

- You can get a bus to downtown here every 20 minutes.

- You have until Friday to pay for the trip.
- People can't use shoes inside the museum.

E. Read the text. Select True, False, or DS for Doesn't Say.

My First Trip Abroad

I still remember my first trip abroad like it was yesterday. I went to Sweden for three months. The day my trip started was frantic. I remember waking up at 3 a.m. to go to the airport. My flight was leaving at 9 a.m. and I had to be there at least two hours before to register my boarding pass and my baggage. When I got to the airport, I started feeling anxious because I was about to board a 12-hour flight. I didn't know what I was going to do with so much time on my hands and I have always been nervous before boarding a flight.

When I got on the plane I was amazed at its size. It was huge. It had two floors. First class was on the top floor, near the cockpit, and coach was on the bottom. The flight attendants were smiling and greeting everyone, so I felt more relaxed. When I finally found my seat, I put my carry-on bag in the overhead compartment and sat down. The captain greeted everyone on board over the speaker. The flight attendant started giving instructions on how to put on our seat belts and what to do in case of emergency. I heard the engines turn on. We were getting ready to take off. My first experience by myself abroad was about to start.

1. The story is about a person's first time on an airplane.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
2. The person in the story was going to Sweden for three months to study Swedish and art.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
3. The flight left at 9:00 a.m. but it was necessary to get to the airport before that time.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
4. First class seating was closer to where they navigate the plane.
 - True
 - False
 - DS
5. The flight attendants added to the stress of flying.
 - True
 - False
 - DS

6. Which is NOT a number mentioned at all in the article?

- 9
- 2
- 12
- 21

7. What does "I remember it like yesterday" most likely mean?

- I remember it very clearly.
- It happened recently. It was not a very long time ago.
- I remember it but not very clearly.

8. Why did the writer start to feel anxious in the airport?

- He didn't know what he would do while on the plane.
- He didn't wake up very peaceful.
- He had never been on a plane before. He was nervous about where his seat might be.

9. In what order did the writer do the following things:

- sit down, find his seat, and put carry-on bag in the overhead compartment
- put carry-on bag in the overhead compartment, find his seat, and sit down
- find his seat, put carry-on bag in the overhead compartment, and sit down
- find his seat, sit down and put carry-on bag in the overhead compartment

10. The day the trip started was very _____.

- Stressful
- Spontaneous
- Organized

11. The staff working on the flight were very _____.

- Attentive
- Comforting
- Knowledgeable

12. The captain gave a _____ announcement over the speaker.

- Simple
- Short
- Important

13. **Read** the text. **Fill** in the blanks with the letter (A, B, or C) that corresponds to the correct answer.

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| 1 | A. have | B. has | C. had |
| 2 | A. later | B. ago | C. before |
| 3 | A. around | B. across | C. between |
| 4 | A. them | B. their | C. theirs |
| 5 | A. like | B. as | C. for |

Belka and Strelka (1) _____ a sad childhood, just like any other stray dog. When Russian scientists found them, they were wandering along the streets searching for food and greeting passersby. Nobody could have imagined that a couple of months (2) _____ they would board a spaceship and have one of the most incredible animal adventures. How was their flight? Have you ever traveled in a very small space in economy class? Belka and Strelka made their 24 trips (3) _____ the Earth together with a curious rabbit, several dozens of mice, some flies, and a couple of plants. All the travelers returned to Earth safe and sound. Belka and Strelka immediately became national heroes and people all over the world learned (4) _____ names; they even appeared on TV. Seven months after the trip, Strelka had six puppies. President John F. Kennedy's daughter Caroline received one of them (5) _____ a gift. The funny thing is that Russia and the US were not on very friendly terms at the time, so Strelka's puppy had to be examined by the American military to see if he was a Russian spy!

F. Write a personal short story about an imaginary experience while studying abroad. Remember to include all the elements of a short story. Your story should be 300-350 words long and contain at least three paragraphs